## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA Richmond Division

ePLUS INC.,	)
Plaintiff,	) Civil Action No. 3:09-CV-620 (REP)
v.	)
LAWSON SOFTWARE, INC.,	) ) )
	)
Defendant.	)

# PLAINTIFF ePLUS INC.'S SUPPLEMENTAL PROPOSED JURY INSTRUCTION WITH RESPECT TO INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE

Plaintiff, ePlus, Inc. ("ePlus"), through counsel, hereby submits the following supplemental proposed jury instruction for the trial of this action, in addition to those jury instructions that it previously proposed.

# **P-40: Incorporation By Reference**

"Incorporation by reference" is a phrase that allows a patent applicant to make another document become part of the patent application in such a manner that the incorporated document is considered to be part of the patent application just as if the incorporated document had been fully set out in the patent application.

# Authorities:

*In re Lund*, 376 F.2d 982, 989 (C.C.P.A. 1967); Black's Law Dictionary 907 (4<sup>th</sup> ed. 1968) (defining "incorporate" as "[t]o declare that another document shall be taken as part of the document in which the declaration is made as much as if it were set out at length therein").

#### Respectfully submitted,

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I certify that on this 19th day of January, 2011, I will electronically file the foregoing **PLAINTIFF** *e***PLUS INC.'S SUPPLEMENTAL PROPOSED JURY INSTRUCTION WITH RESPECT TO INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE** with the Clerk of Court using the CM/ECF system which will then send a notification of such filing (NEF) via email to the following:

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